

Fiscal Year 2020  
Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)  
Income Eligibility and Benefit Levels

Family Size (# of people in the household)	100% of Federal Poverty Level	125% of Federal Poverty Level	150% of Federal Poverty Level	175% of Federal Poverty Level	200% of Federal Poverty Level	60% of Estimated State Median Income
1	\$ 12,490	\$ 15,613	\$ 18,735	\$ 21,858	\$ 24,980	\$ 37,360
2	\$ 16,910	\$ 21,138	\$ 25,365	\$ 29,593	\$ 33,820	\$ 48,855
3	\$ 21,330	\$ 26,663	\$ 31,995	\$ 37,328	\$ 42,660	\$ 60,351
4	\$ 25,750	\$ 32,188	\$ 38,625	\$ 45,063	\$ 51,500	\$ 71,846
5	\$ 30,170	\$ 37,713	\$ 45,255	\$ 52,798	\$ 60,340	\$ 83,341
6	\$ 34,590	\$ 43,238	\$ 51,885	\$ 60,533	\$ 69,180	\$ 94,837
7	\$ 39,010	\$ 48,763	\$ 58,515	\$ 68,268	\$ 78,020	\$ 96,992
8	\$ 43,430	\$ 54,288	\$ 65,145	\$ 76,003	\$ 86,860	\$ 99,147
9	\$ 47,850	\$ 59,813	\$ 71,775	\$ 83,738	\$ 95,700	\$ 101,303
10	\$ 52,270	\$ 65,338	\$ 78,405	\$ 91,473	\$ 103,458	\$ 103,458
11	\$ 56,690	\$ 70,863	\$ 85,035	\$ 99,208	\$ 105,614	\$ 105,614
12	\$ 61,110	\$ 76,388	\$ 91,665	\$ 106,943	\$ 107,769	\$ 107,769
13	\$ 65,530	\$ 81,913	\$ 98,295	\$ 109,924	\$ 109,924	\$ 109,924
14	\$ 69,950	\$ 87,438	\$ 104,925	\$ 112,080	\$ 112,080	\$ 112,080
15	\$ 74,370	\$ 92,963	\$ 111,555	\$ 114,235	\$ 114,235	\$ 114,235
16	\$ 78,790	\$ 98,488	\$ 118,185	\$ 118,185	\$ 118,185	\$ 118,185
17	\$ 83,210	\$ 104,013	\$ 124,815	\$ 124,815	\$ 124,815	\$ 124,815
<b>Homeowners and Non-Subsidized Housing Tenants</b>						
<b>Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene &amp; Other)</b>	\$1,140	\$1,003	\$883	\$777	\$777	\$664
<b>Utility and Heat- Included-in-Rent</b>	\$905	\$796	\$701	\$617	\$617	\$554
<b>High Energy Cost Supplement</b>	\$200	\$180	\$160	\$140	\$140	\$120
<b>Subsidized Housing Tenants</b>						
<b>Deliverable Fuel (Oil, Propane, Kerosene &amp; Other)</b>	\$800	\$700	\$620	\$545	\$545	\$484
<b>Utility and Heat- Included-in-Rent</b>	\$635	\$555	\$490	\$430	\$430	\$387
<b>High Energy Cost Supplement</b>	\$200	\$180	\$160	\$140	\$140	\$120
<b>High Energy Cost Supplement (HECS) Thresholds - TBD</b>						

Note: Contact DHCD to determine eligibility for a family of 18 and above.

Sources (Income Level): "Annual Update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines, *Federal Register* 84 No. 22 (1 Feb 1919): 1167-1168 and "State Median Income Estimates", USHHS, OCS, DEA, *LIHEAP-IM-2019-02*

The **Benefit amount** awarded to eligible households is based on several household factors reflected on this chart. Those include the number of people in a household, their gross income, the energy source, the housing situation, and the cost of the heat during the previous heating season.

**High Energy Cost Supplement** is an additional benefit provided only to qualifying, eligible LIHEAP households whose previous year's heating season energy costs exceed the listed thresholds.